PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any donation has recently been given by the Indian Oil Corporation to Sringeri Matha in South India; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof including the date, amount and mode of the payment?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) and (b) No, Sir. The donation of Rs.3 lakh was made, by I.O.C. to Sringeri Sarada Dhanvanfri Charitable Hospital registered. This is a public hospital registered under the Karnataka Societies Registration Act, 1960. It has been given exemption under Section 35 CCA of the Income Tax Act. 1961.

The donation was made by the Cheque dated 30.3.1990 drawn on the State Bank of India. The donation was for an X-Ray ultrasonic Scanner and surgical instruments.

Import of machines by Hindustan Photo Film Manufacturing Company Ltd.

2089. SHRI HARVENDRA SIN,GH HANSPAL: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Hindustan Photo Film Manufacturing company Ltd., has imported a good number of machines recently;

(b) if so. what are the details of the machines imported and the purpose of their import:

(c) what are the details of the foreign companies from which these machines have been imported;

(d) whether the machines have been found defective; and

(e) if so, whether any responsibility has been fixed by Government in this behalf?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH): (a) to (c) M/s. Hindustan Photo Film Ltd. (HPF) has imported/is importing machines such as dryers, decorators, pumps, mixers, humidity sensors, assembly moulds, photo dispensors etc. for its various projects under implementations. These have been imported from its collaborators in West Germany, U.K., USA etc.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise.

Name of the Industrial House

Suply of gas from Tapti Gas Field at Pipavav in Saurashtra Region

2090. SHRI VITHALBHAI M. PATEL: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be please to state;

(a) whether Government have approved the land fall point near Pipavav in Saurashtra Region of Gujarat for the supply of gas from Tapti Gas field; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof and by when gas supply would begin at Pipavav?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) and (b) ONGC have been asked toi submit their revised proposal to the Ministry on development of Tapti gas fields. Meanwhile, it has been decided in principle that the gas from the Tapti fields would be used for a power plant to be set up at Pipavav on Saurashtra Coast by the Gujarat Electricity Board. The Supply of gas to this project would, however, be subject to investment approval of the related facilities for gas production from the Tapti fields.

Piped gas supply to Ahmedabad City

2091 SHRI' VITHALBHAI M. PATEL: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased state:

(a) whether the Central Government have received a memorandum from Government of Gujarat about utilisation of gas from Gandhar gas fields, and has